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BRAZIL.

*Sanitary report from Rio de Janeiro.*RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL, *May 15, 1897.*

SIR: I have the honor to transmit report for the week ended May 15, 1897:

There were 8 deaths from *accessio pernicioso*, the same as in the foregoing week; 3 from yellow fever, an increase of 1; 5 from beriberi, a decrease of 3; 1 from enteric fever, a decrease of 4; 48 from tuberculosis, a decrease of 2; none from whooping cough, 1 in the foregoing week; and 259 from all causes, a decrease of 27. The general health of the town and port is good, as it usually is at this time of the year.

Since last report the following-named ships have been inspected or received bills of health from this office: May 10, barkentine *Cypher*, British, for Savannah, Ga. May 11, bark *Baltimore*, American, for Baltimore, Md., and bark *Julius Palm*, Swedish, for Brunswick, Ga. May 12, bark *Zion*, German, for Delaware Breakwater, Pa.; steamship *Afghan Prince*, British, for New York, from Montevideo; bark *Orion*, British, for San Francisco, Cal., from Newcastle upon Tyne, and steamship *Lassell*, British, for New York. May 14, steamship *Langoe*, British, for Santa Lucia, West Indies; steamship *Delcomyn*, British, for Boston, Mass.; bark *Amy*, American, for Baltimore, Md., and bark *Freden*, Norwegian, for New York, N. Y. May 15, ship *Cora*, American, for Barbados, West Indies, and steamship *Canarias*, French, Santos to New York. May 16, steamship *Tartar Prince*, British, from Buenos Ayres to New York. May 17, steamship *Szent Istvan*, Hungarian, for New York from Santos.

Respectfully, yours.

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CUBA.

Smallpox and yellow fever in Cuban seaports.

June 12: The United States sanitary inspector at Habana reports that during the week ended June 10 there were in that city 37 deaths from yellow fever, with 130 new cases, and 8 new cases of smallpox, with 1 deaths.

June 8: The United States consul at Cardenas reports that during the week ended June 5 there were in that city 2 cases and no deaths from yellow fever, and 3 cases and 1 death from smallpox.

June 7: The United States consul at Sagua la Grande reports that during the week ended June 5 there were in that city 24 new cases reported from yellow fever, and 17 cases and 3 deaths from smallpox.

June 5: The United States sanitary inspector at Santiago reports that during the two weeks ended June 5 there were in that city 54 cases and 6 deaths from yellow fever.